

Message Text

UNCLASSIFIED

PAGE 01 SAN JO 01005 140007Z

60

ACTION ARA-10

INFO OCT-01 ISO-00 PA-04 PRS-01 EB-11 COME-00 A-01 OPR-02

/030 W

----- 088215

R 132230Z MAR 74

FM AMEMBASSY SAN JOSE

TO AMEMBASSY GUATEMALA

AMEMBASSY MANAGUA

AMEMBASSY PANAMA

AMEMBASSY SAN SALVADOR

AMEMBASSY TEGUCIGALPA

INFO SECSTATE WASHDC 6486

USIA WASHDC

UNCLAS SAN JOSE 1005

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: BEXP AFSP CS

SUBJECT: A COMMON COMMERCIAL NEWSLETTER PROPOSED FOR
CENTRAL AMERICAN AND PANAMA

1. DURING A RECENT VISIT TO COSTA RICA, MR. CAICEDO OF THE
USIS REGIONAL SERVICE CENTER MEXICO CITY HELD DISCUSSIONS
WITH THE COMMERCIAL ATTACHE AND PAO ON THE FEASIBILITY OF
PRINTING ONE COMMERCIAL NEWSLETTER (CNL) FOR DISTRIBUTION BY
EMBASSIES OF CENTRAL AMERICA WITHIN THEIR RESPECTIVE COUNTRIES.

2. MR. CAICEDO SUGGESTED THAT A NEWSLETTER SIMILAR TO THAT
DISTRIBUTED BY EMBASSY COSTA RICA WITH A COVER IN FULL COLOR
WOULD COST APPROXIMATELY FIVE CENTS PER COPY FOR A RUN IN
EXCESS OF EIGHT THOUSAND COPIES. A NUMBER LESS THAN EIGHT
THOUSAND WOULD NOT BE PRACTICAL. USIS IMPRESSION COST
COULD POSSIBLY PAY FOR THE PRINTING. SHIPPING COST FROM
MEXICO CITY TO EACH EMBASSY IS TO BE PAID FROM RESPECTIVE
POST'S FUNDS. SAN JOSE PRINTED 1500 COPIES FOR ITS FIRST ED-
ITION LAST MONTH AT A COST OF FIFTEEN CENTS EACH.

3. IT IS BELIEVED THAT ONE CNL PRINTED FOR ALL OF CENTRAL
UNCLASSIFIED

UNCLASSIFIED

PAGE 02 SAN JO 01005 140007Z

AMERICAN WOULD BE PRACTICAL AND FEASIBLE WITH ONLY A MINIMUM

OF DIFFICULTY AND WITHOUT AN ADDED WORKLOAD. THIS DIFFICULTY
COULD BE EVEN LESSEN OR AVOIDED WITH PROPER COORDINATION
BETWEEN EMBASSIES.

4. EMBASSY SAN JOSE AGREES TO COMPILE AND ORGANIZE MATERIAL
FOR PUBLICATION.

ACTION: EMBASSIES ARE REQUESTED TO ADVISE AMEMBASSY SAN JOSE
OF THEIR RESPECTIVE INTEREST IN A COMMON CNL AND NUMBER OF
COPIES REQUIRED. SHOULD IT BE DESIRABLE AND THE COPIES TOTAL
EIGHT THOUSAND OR MORE, COMMERCIAL ATTACHE SAN JOSE WILLING
TO VISIT OTHER CA POST EARLY APRIL FOR DISCUSSIONS WITH
ECON/COM OFFICERS AND PAO AND TO COORDINATE EFFORTS FOR A
JULY 1 PUBLICATION.
THIGPEN

UNCLASSIFIED

NNN

Message Attributes

Automatic Decaptioning: X
Capture Date: 01 JAN 1994
Channel Indicators: n/a
Current Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Concepts: n/a
Control Number: n/a
Copy: SINGLE
Draft Date: 13 MAR 1974
Decaption Date: 01 JAN 1960
Decaption Note:
Disposition Action: n/a
Disposition Approved on Date:
Disposition Authority: n/a
Disposition Case Number: n/a
Disposition Comment:
Disposition Date: 01 JAN 1960
Disposition Event:
Disposition History: n/a
Disposition Reason:
Disposition Remarks:
Document Number: 1974SANJO001005
Document Source: CORE
Document Unique ID: 00
Drafter: n/a
Enclosure: n/a
Executive Order: N/A
Errors: N/A
Film Number: n/a
From: SAN JOSE
Handling Restrictions: n/a
Image Path:
ISecure: 1
Legacy Key: link1974/newtext/t19740346/aaaabrnt.tel
Line Count: 76
Locator: TEXT ON-LINE
Office: ACTION ARA
Original Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Original Handling Restrictions: n/a
Original Previous Classification: n/a
Original Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Page Count: 2
Previous Channel Indicators:
Previous Classification: n/a
Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Reference: n/a
Review Action: RELEASED, APPROVED
Review Authority: shawdg
Review Comment: n/a
Review Content Flags:
Review Date: 30 JUL 2002
Review Event:
Review Exemptions: n/a
Review History: RELEASED <30 JUL 2002 by elbezefj>; APPROVED <10 DEC 2002 by shawdg>
Review Markings:

Declassified/Released
US Department of State
EO Systematic Review
30 JUN 2005

Review Media Identifier:
Review Referrals: n/a
Review Release Date: n/a
Review Release Event: n/a
Review Transfer Date:
Review Withdrawn Fields: n/a
Secure: OPEN
Status: NATIVE
Subject: A COMMON COMMERCIAL NEWSLETTER PROPOSED FOR CENTRAL AMERICAN AND PANAMA
TAGS: BEXP, AFSP, CS
To: GUATEMALA
Type: TE
Markings: Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 30 JUN 2005